

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 1879.

NO. 21

VOL. VIII.

## SPRING IS AT HAND

J. R. RACE & CO.

Having received a large and well selected stock of

## Boys', Youth's and Children's Suits,

At an UNPRECEDENTEDLY LOW PRICE, are prepared to give extra bargains. We have standardized a large line of MEN'S SUITS, and we will sell them at prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

## OUR HAT DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE!

Having just received the latest Nobby Styles.

## Our Neckwear and Cents' Furnishing Goods Department

Introducing all the latest Novelties. Also

## White and Fancy Shirts

IN ENDLESS VARIETY.

## Our Merchant Tailoring Department!

Continues to be an important factor in our business. We have received a large line of the latest Styles Tailoring, and are prepared to give you a PERFECT FITTING GARMENT at a living price. We are now making

## BUSINESS SUITS AT THE LOW PRICE OF \$25.00 CASSIMERE PANTS FOR 5.00

And last, but not least, we would call the attention of engineers, firemen, brakemen, etc., to our NOBLY OVERSUITS, at the low price of \$1.75.

Examine our stock and prices, and be convinced that we mean what we say.

March 24.

J. R. RACE & CO.

E. S. AUNGST & CO.



UNDERTAKERS  
and Dealers in all Kinds of  
COFFINS.

Mosaic Burial Cases  
and Coffins.

Southeast Corner, Old Square  
BROOKVILLE, ILLINOIS.

House No. 10, West William street.

John & Clark.

Telephone No. 10.

Telegraph Address: "AUNGST."

March 24.

W. MUELLER & CO.,

DEALERS IN:



Gas Fixtures!

WALL-PAPER AND  
CURTAINS!

ALL THE OTHER TRADE IN MAEON COUNTY CAN SHOW, AT PRICES LOWER THAN THE LOWEST.

ABEL & LOCKE.

Decatur, April 12, 1879—G. W. MUELLER.

Edward Denz,

THE FASHIONABLE

Merchant Tailor!

State of Illinois, 1879.

NOTICE.—I have the pleasure to inform you that

the new line of the LATEST

Spring & Summer Goods

which I offer to sell and make up in FIRST-CLASS STYLES and for the lowest possible prices ever offered in Decatur. All work

referred to St. Oliver, his call.

Decatur, March 24, 1879.

FOR RENT.

A large, comfortable house, situated in a

quiet, well-located part of the city.

It has a large front porch, a

large parlor, a dining room, a

large kitchen, a back porch, a

large back room, a

Some of the papers are asserting that Grant will not run. Remond has never been one of Grant's chartership. Perhaps the country has called to the aid of the people. — New York Tribune.

The Indianapolis Journal of Monday says: H. B. Hammond, of New York, President of the Indianapolis, Danvers & Springfield road, will arrive in this city this evening, and to-morrow the papers will be signed and the contract closed for building the road from Danvers to the city.

Rev. Edward R. Ames, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, whose death is momentarily expected at his residence in Baltimore, Md., is nearing his 75th year. His education was received at the Ohio University, at Athens, O., and he entered the ministry in 1830, in Indiana. After a devoted and spiritual service of over twenty years, he was elected Bishop, and was the first of his order in the Methodist Church to visit the Pacific coast. He has resided in Baltimore eighteen years.

A CORRESPONDENT at Dayton, Ohio, says:

W. D. Biokham, editor of the Journal openly avows his intention to use his "almost endeavor to make General Grant standard-bearer for 1872."

Mr. Bickham replies:

From whom the correspondent got this erroneous information we can not guess, but we beg leave to enter a decided protest. Our first choice for the presidency in 1872 is John Sherman, and if we were satisfied that he could carry New York— which we regret to say we are not—we would know precisely what to do about this interesting question. It is our opinion, however, that Grant is the strongest man in Ohio for the presidency, and we shall support him, if the convention nominates him, with as much earnestness and enthusiasm as we can bring to bear upon a contest which we believe involves the welfare, if not the existence, of the nation.

Two Detroit men, in summarizing the returns of the recent election in Michigan, bring out the following points. The old Republican gain is sixty-nine counties, and officially is 35,870. In sixty counties of the State, all from which full reports have been obtained of the political status of the Republicans, the Republicans have chosen 532 Supervisors, against 463 last year. This gain of 75, involving a change of 150 in the relative strength, has placed thirty-five senatorial seats under Republican control, so eighteen under opposition, seven being tied. Last year, of the same counties only half had Republican boards, the opposition controlling twenty-three, and seven being equally divided. In the city governments the Republicans have also made remarkable gains. Last year, in thirty-one cities reported, there were only nine Republicans. Mayors elected this year, in forty cities reported, the Republicans have elected twenty-four Mayors.

The two claims that the Republicans party of Michigan has faded and repudiated the more dangerous assault over State on its defense, and never has won a more important victory than this.

#### ADVANTAGES DISDIED.

The advantages in the use of Dr. Price's Special Flowering Liniment are decided, as they are put up in bottles of full measure, made from the true fruits and aromatic, without poisonous oils, or ethers, pure and true.

Bucklin's Arsenic Salve

The Bucklin's Salve is the world for Cut, Sores, Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price 20 cents per box. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur.

For Sale—A comfortable house, on West William street, (No. 60). For particulars call on H. W. Hill & Co.

April 12—d&w

For the Ladies— I am daily receiving new and elegant styles in spring and summer apparel. Call and see me, old friend and new. H. FALCONER,  
18 Merchant street, on stairs.

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Special Notice—Furniture, white washing, repairing plastering, and exterior painting, to be done by S. H. Brown. Leave orders at J. G. McGehee & Co.'s bookstore. Charges reasonable.

March 18—d&w

Ladies, Take Notice—Mr. R. P. Moore is prepared to do ladies' shampooing at their pleasure, in the best style. Leave orders at D. Stewart's barbershop, Central block.

April 21—d&w

For Sale—A lot of choice honey in the comb, 100 cents per pound.

John Stearns,  
Our Franklin and Corvo Gordo are  
April 21—d&w

Show at Ham & Black's on Prairie street and buy your soon—Mr. Corvo and Corvo Gordo, 100 cents, butter and cheese, including the old seeds. Also  
April 21—d&w

Embroideries, the newest designs—a large one, just received at the Cheap Store.

April 10—d&w

Wanted—1,000 bushels of white pease. The world would appreciate the name of Mark Gray. The officers say he is crazy.

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## The Daily Republican.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 14, 1879.

### CITY DEPARTMENT.

Got any flags to sell?  
Places at the City Book Store. 41  
Buy the Magnolia Hamm. 14p-14d  
See flags now at the fair grounds this  
afternoon.

The Haywood Jones Water, for habitual  
al consumption, for sale by W. C. Arm-  
strong only.

The best assortment of canned goods in  
the city, at Young's. 14p-14d

Whiskey engine No. 167 "laid down" at  
Stonington the other night, and Jameson  
Wisconsin.

Have your furniture repaired at How-  
ard & Ferguson's. 14p-14d

The display of flags in the city to-day  
was simply immense, both on business  
houses and private dwellings.

Emerson's clothing emporium is the  
popular resort for gents in quest of fur-  
nishing goods. All articles are first-class,  
and prices are at bed-rock.

Have that old mattress made now by  
Howard & Ferguson. 14p-14d

Armstrong's latest patterns at Miss A.  
Miller's on Merchant street, and a full  
line of ladies' furnishing goods.

Kurtz's Queen and all the other fa-  
vorite brands of cigar, at Martin's. 14p-14d

A few dry boarders can be accommodated  
with first-class table board at Mar-  
tin's. 14p-14d

Buy a full line of the latest sheet mu-  
sic, music books, instructors, violins, ac-  
cordions, violas and guitar strings and  
numerous merchandise generally, call on J. S.  
Hand & Co., in postoffice block. 21d

On order of the board of education the  
public schools were closed this afternoon  
that teachers and scholars might see the  
grand street parade.

WEEKLY REPUBLICAN to-day, contain-  
ing the delinquent tax-list, and a supple-  
ment filled to the brim with a great  
quantity of interesting local and miscellaneous  
matter.

The White Sewing Machine for sale at  
Ashby's. Don't buy any other till you  
have seen it and compared the working of  
it, and price. 14p-14d

Brummett is delighted in taking a look  
at the immense stock of carpet goods on  
sale at Abel & Locke's.

Very delicious prepared coffee, sold  
by F. W. Niedermeyer, suits the people  
to a dot.

Try a sack of McPherson's "White  
Leaf"—new patent process flour.  
Feb. 18—14d

The silver wedding of Capt. L. A. Ful-  
ler, superintendent of the western divi-  
sion of the U. S. Express company oc-  
curred at Springfield last night. Walter  
Bushforth and W. H. House, of the Decatur  
office, were in attendance.

The bill paid will be paid for  
second-hand furniture, stores, etc.  
Now go to see it and compare the working of  
it, and price. 14p-14d

The St. Nicholas' bus transfers pas-  
senger between the hotel and depot for only  
25 cents, and calls in any part of the  
city on the most reasonable terms.

WB notice by the Republican that Miss  
Rebecca Sternett, of this city, will give  
dramatic readings and recitations at  
Shumway's Hall, at Taylorville, Friday  
evening, April 26. Admittance, 15 cents;  
children, 10 cents.

We are now able to supply the  
demand for a good, solid, serviceable and  
neat walking shoe for \$1.00. Call and see  
them at Barber & Baker's  
Feb. 11—14d

LEAVENWELL, with a population of 12,000,  
has 200 saloons and forty dance houses.  
Milk is one dollar a gallon, water five  
cents a bucket, and whisky twenty-five  
cents a drink. —Eckhardt.

And notwithstanding all this, "they say"  
the boss "squirrel" of Decatur is packing  
his gun to go there.

Are still they come; that is, the multi-  
tudes who desire to avail themselves of  
the low prices which prevail at the dis-  
closing out sale of R. C. Crocker. The prices  
at which all kinds of hardware can be  
bought here are simply astonishing, and  
any who let this rare opportunity pass  
will regret it. Come now and get the  
best of the crockery.

One American horse Pareo, owned by  
M. Pierre Lorillard, of New York, won  
the city and suburbs handicap at Epsom,  
England, Tuesday. Since he astonished  
the British sports by winning the New-  
market race April 10, he has been the  
favorite for Tuesday's race. Great interest  
was felt in the result among horsemen in  
this country and in England, and of  
course every patriotic American will re-  
joice in the victory of the representative  
of the American turf.

Two old folks in the city to-day  
is a body-registered and eccentric individual  
named Jack Hays, aged 60 years, who  
was found this forenoon back of post-  
office block, by Deputy Marshal Barnett,  
lying flat on his back on a platform. He  
is in a most wretched plight, but seems  
happy within. He is covered in rags, and  
exhibits strong evidence of having ex-  
perienced more of the do than the up  
of life. A bundle of rags so riven as a  
pillow, and while Quencher of the Poor New-  
ell wanted to take him under his wing,  
Jack said no, he is not old, "he owned  
the waterworks and gas company,  
worth \$100,000,000." He said he had  
visited all the States during his life, and  
made all manner of fun of the tobacco  
cigars. About 11 o'clock he moved on and  
will probably have big greener pastures  
this evening. —See page 2.

Mr. Coffield, at his boarding house  
No. 11 West Main street, can furnish  
boarding and meals by the day or week  
for a few more boarders; reasonable  
price very reasonable.  
March 24—14d

is furnished for both  
men and women.

Lincoln, in Decatur. The following  
from the Decatur Daily Journal  
can be read with no small degree of interest  
by a number of our citizens, whose mem-  
ories run back about a year. It is to be  
expected that with a state of affairs such  
as this, the public will be greatly interested  
in the result of this wrangling in a very short  
time.

Lincoln seems to be trying hard to ini-  
tiate the brotherly love and unity of spirit  
in its government that was so conspic-  
uously absent in East St. Louis last fall.  
The council is divided on the question of  
a prohibition or license policy, and the  
different feelings have been considered.  
At the meeting of the Council on Monday  
evening, Mayor Hill presided, and his mem-  
bers voted to confirm by a simple party vote.  
Alderman Davis moved to appoint two  
men whom he named, and the mayor  
declined the motion out of order. Alder-  
man Hudson moved from the decision  
of the chair, and the mayor was overruled.  
The members of the council took the oath  
of office, but the mayor will not sign  
their commissions, and says he proposes to  
fight it out if it takes him to arbitration. The  
outcome is watched with interest.

THE DOANE HOUSE.—E. P. Niles, who  
has been with Col. White at the Central  
House since his coming among us, will  
leave for Champaign on Saturday and  
look after his interests in the above hotel,  
of which he is part owner. He was in  
Champaign on the 14th, and the Union  
speaks as follows:

M. A. White has returned to his home  
in Decatur, while his two sons-in-law,  
Messrs. Niles and Waterhouse have ac-  
quired control of the business. Gen. E.  
P. Niles, who arrived last night, 16th, as  
formerly assistant adjutant general of the  
State, and is like his partner, Col. Water-  
house, a most amiable and pleasant  
man, and will be liked by all who sojourn  
under his roof. Very good and attractive  
improvements have been made in the dining room.  
Charles Philbrick still remains as clerk,  
and a better one never entered a hotel,  
nor one who is more universally liked.  
We wish the new management success,  
which will certainly be had.

Messrs. Niles and Waterhouse are well  
and favorably known to our citizens and  
the travelling public generally as A 1 hotel  
men, and we extend our heartiest wishes  
for their prosperity.

Mrs. JOHN CAMPBELL, of this city, the  
mother of Julia, who went to St. Louis  
about a year ago, is the name of the wo-  
man who was run over by the cars on the  
Central road near Maroa, the other night,  
by a Midland train. Her husband went  
to Maroa yesterday morning. Mrs. Campbell  
was still alive at last accounts, but was  
in an unconscious state. Her infor-  
mations are very severe, and consist of  
broken limbs. On the evening of the acci-  
dent she started to walk from Decatur to  
Maroa, it is supposed for the purpose of  
paying a visit to some friends there. The  
reason assigned for her not getting off the  
track as the train approached from the  
north, is said to be that she has been "out  
of her mind" for some weeks past, and  
probably was not aware of her danger.

The hydrant at the southwest corner of  
North Main and Prairie streets was made  
widely to day in sprinkling the taber-  
nacle roof and the streets on the east and  
north of the building, by which means the  
capacious room was kept delightfully  
cool for the exercises of the day, and also  
as a place of rendezvous for the thousands  
of strangers in town. An abundance of  
ice water was also provided in barrels at  
the doors by the committee of arrange-  
ments.

A GOOD BAND-OFF FOR THE NEW BRA-  
SILVER.—W. A. Van Leer, of Friend's  
Creek township, shipped eight car loads  
of cattle and hogs from Emery, the new  
station between Forsyth and Maroa, on  
Wednesday, being the first stock sent  
from that station. In the lot were 77  
head of extra fat heavy cattle, fed by  
Samuel Weaver, of Hickory township,  
which brought him the nice little sum of  
\$6,000. This is the fifteenth lot of cattle  
Billy Medvee has fed for Mr. Weaver,  
and what Billy don't know about putting  
fat on cattle ain't worth knowing.

THE STREET PARADE.

The street parade which formed this

afternoon under the direction of the  
Chief Marshal of the day was John  
Irwin, was a very imposing affair.

The soldiers & boys, & girls,

and the handsomely decorated hose carts  
and hook and ladder wagons showed up  
as they never did before. The hose carts  
were done up handsomely, sprucing  
them, that made them look the  
importance of the part they took in the  
procession.

The procession formed in the following order:

First Division—Platoon of Police, Chief Mar-  
shal and Aide. Band. Subordinate lodges  
from the following lodges and encampments:

Decatur, Danville, Bloomington, Paris,  
Springfield, Urbana, Mattoon, Taylorville,  
Springfield, Marion, Tazewell, Bucyrus, Bucyrus,  
Champaign, Urbana, Corro Gordo, Pekin,  
Montgomery, Newbern, Sidney, Heywood,  
Fithian, Calumet, Gibson City, Oak-  
land, Kinsey, Vermilion, Polville, Mansfield,  
Livington, Blue Mound, Seymour, Coopers-  
burg, Waukesha and Grand View.

Second Division—Band. Fire department.

Third Division—Band. Fire department.

Fourth Division—Band. Fire department.

Address of welcome—Hon. R. J. Oglesby,  
Opening exercises—By the Brotherhood.

Music—Fife. Schuyler Colfax, F. G. R.  
Haging—Closing Ode—By the Brotherhood.

Benediction—By the Chaplain. Rev. G. W.  
Miller, pastor of Stapp's Chapel.

April 19—14d

THE NEW POST OFFICE.—The new post  
office on the Central road between For-  
syth and Maroa which has been christened  
Emery, is already doing a lively business,  
taking in as it is a quite large region  
of country between the two places named,  
also east and west for some distance pro-  
bably to reach this point more easily than  
any other post office. The probabilities  
are that this will be a great center of  
all purchases of furniture to call on them  
before going elsewhere, either at home or  
abroad. —DECATUR FURNITURE CO.

The train will leave Decatur at 11 a.m.,  
Warrensburg, 8:20; Lathan, 8:30; Mt.  
Pulaski, 8:45; Lincoln, 9:05; Hartshorn,  
9:22; Rutland, 9:25; Delevan, 9:47; Green-  
Valley, 10:05; Pekin, 10:38; Pekin, 10:55;  
and arrive at Peoria at 10:55. Returning  
the train will leave Peoria at 1:00 p.m.  
and arrive at Decatur at 11:00 p.m.

J. S. CAMPBELL, Manager.

April 25—14d

OUR PATRONS.—Having disposed of

our retail department to Messrs. Ashby &  
Andrews, who will hereafter keep a full

line of our manufactures, we take pleasure

in commanding them to the patronage

of our citizens, and bespeak for them a

liberal share of the same, feeling sure

that they will make it to the interests of

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THE RECEPTION.

Hon. Schuyler Colfax, F. G. R., the or-

ator of the day, arrived from the east

in a carriage to see the reception.

Mayor Haworth, accompanied by a delegation

from the reception committee of the De-

# SAVING TIME, PATIENCE AND MONEY

## WABASH

ROUTE,  
NORTH, EAST, SOUTH OR WEST,  
LIGHTNING TRAINS.

Invariably on Time, with Ease and Sure  
Connections.

No change of Cars to St. Louis, Memphis,  
Quincy, Rockford, Peoria, Burlington, Ken-  
sington City, Alton, St. Louis, and  
only a change to all points in  
Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado,  
Arkansas and Texas.

FORMING THE  
SHORTEST AND QUICKEST

ONLY DIRECT ROUTE  
From the West to all points in the East, in-  
cluding New York, Boston, Philadelphia,  
Hartford and Washington.

Through Sleepers or St. Louis Books

1228 MILES,  
The Longest Sleeping Car Line in  
the World.

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:  
Main Line.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express 8:45 a. m.  
8:45 p. m.  
8:45 p. m.

GOING EAST.  
No. 2 Through Express 10:30 a. m.  
11:45 a. m.  
8:30 p. m.

Accommodation 8:45 a. m.  
8:45 p. m.

The following Freight train will carry  
passengers with tickets:  
Going East 8:45 a. m.  
Going West 1:15 p. m.

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 42 Through Express 3:30 a. m.  
4:30 a. m.  
4:30 p. m.

No. 43 Accommodation 11:30 a. m.  
12:45 p. m.

Arrives.

No. 44 Accommodation 11:30 a. m.  
12:45 p. m.

A. L. ANDREWS, K. ANDREWS  
General Manager.

H. C. THOMAS, General Passenger and Ticket  
Agent, Toledo.

K. BARWOOD, Agent, Decatur.

Through Time by the

I. B. & W.  
ROUTE

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.

No. 1. No. 4. No. 6.

Leavenworth 8:45 a. m.  
8:45 p. m.

Decatur 8:45 a. m.  
8:45 p. m.

Champaign 8:45 a. m.  
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Springfield 8:45 a. m.  
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Alton 8:45 a. m.  
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St. Louis 8:45 a. m.  
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Wabash 8:45 a. m.  
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Indiana 8:45 a. m.  
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Chicago 8:45 a. m.  
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Waukegan 8:45 a. m.  
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Milwaukee 8:45 a. m.  
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Madison 8:45 a. m.  
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Montgomery 8:45 a. m.  
8:45 p. m.

Decatur 8:45 a. m.  
8:45 p. m.

Train No. 8 will leave Decatur via Wabash,  
Indiana full and through to Indianapolis, Indiana,  
and all Eastern connections. All other  
stations, except Sunday.

Declining their Sleeping Cars with Night  
Rooms to the West, and their Day Cars with  
Night Rooms to the East.

R. W. BROWN, Receiver.

W. W. BROWN, General Passenger and Ticket  
Agent, Indianapolis, Indiana.

For tickets and further information  
address W. W. McRELLAN, Agent,  
Decatur, Illinois.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R.Y.

On and after Monday, March 10, trains will  
arrive and leave as follows:

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